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1. MRS. WILSON JUST RECEIVED LETTER FROM HUSBAND DATED 28 NOVEMBER IN WHICH HUSBNAD STATED CAMEROONIAN AUTHORITIES TRIED TO TRICK HIM INTO SIGNING CONFESSION WRITTEN IN FRENCH THAT 1) HE HAD ENTERED THE CAMEROON WITHOUT A PASSPORT AND 2) HE WAS PREACHING THE JEHOVAH'S WITNESS BELIEF. APPARENTLY THEY BELIEVED HE COULD NOT READ FRENCH. A COURT HEARING ON HIS CASE HAS ALREADY TAKEN PLACE. HE DID NOT ATTEND BECAUSE HE HAD NOT BEEN SERVED A SUMMONS AND WAS COMPLETELY UNAWARE THAT THE HEARING WAS TO TAKE PLACE. BECAUSE HE DID NOT SHOW UP, A NEW TRIAL DATE HAS BEEN SET FOR 6 JANUARY 1976.

2. MR. WILSON STATED THAT HE WAS ARRESTED SHORTLY AFTER HAVING CROSSED THE BORDER. HE FILLED OUT PAPERS AT A POLICE POST INDICATING THAT HE WAS EN ROUTE TO FIANGA, CHAD, AND THAT HE WAS A JEHOVAH'S WITNESS. WHEN THE POLICE READ HIS PAPERS, THEY IMMEDIATELY TOOK HIM TO THE POLICE STATION IN YAGOUA WHERE HE WAS ARRESTED. BRADFORD

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